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In re the Application of

ARTHUR J. SHRADER

Group Art Unit: 3728

Parent Application

Examiner: Luan K. Bui

Serial Number: 09,434,792

Parent Application

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For: PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION
FOR IMPROVED HYGIENE

DIVISIONAL APPLICATION

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted with this Preliminary Amendment there are included forms and filing fee for filing a Divisional Application directed to the subject matter of Figure 10 as filed in the parent application referenced above, now granted as United States Patent 6,311,840. In the present Divisional Application, please add the following claim which is directed to the description of Figure 10 as set forth at Column 6, lines 41-45 of United States Patent 6,311,840 (the parent case).

--25. A method of improving personal hygiene through personally identifying beverages in a container having a major exposed surface comprising: